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FOURTEEN PAGES TODAY.

The News-Scimitar

The News-Scimitar is first as an advertising medium with Memphis business men. They see results from their advertising expenditure, and results count.

Wholesale Price On Milk Remains 36 Cents Gallon

The price of milk in wholesale quantities is to remain at 36 cents per gallon, according to an agreement reached late Friday at a meeting of producers of Shelby county and retailers of the city.

Requests from dairymen that the price be raised to 40 cents were made recently to representatives of the Clover Farm dairy and other retailers in order that their interests would be protected during this season, known to milk men as the "grass" season, when there is an abundance of milk.

L. N. Learned, manager and part owner of the Clover Farm dairy, in arguing against the request stated that the same grade of milk could be had from Illinois at about 11 cents less than local producers were getting at present, and that to raise the price in this season would necessarily mean that Illinois milk would be purchased. This would mean that Memphis would be furnished entirely with a foreign product, owing to the extremely small margin of profit that retailers are making by handling home producers' milk at the present price.

Mr. Learned quoted figures for the past five years, compiled from books of dairymen, as to wholesale prices, cost of handling per gallon, retail price and margin of profit, which in no case went above 2 cents. He stated that during the five years, at the conclusion of his talk Mr. Learned, after being reproached by the producers to sell the Clover Farm dairy to them, thus making the supply and production one and the same, unconditionally stated to sell the dairy to them for \$100,000.

Speaking for himself, Mr. Learned said: "I don't know how the other stockholders stand, but I will be willing to sell my holdings in the dairy to the question will be put before owners of the concern as soon as a meeting can be called. Mr. Learned stated that the price of milk will remain at 36 cents during the grass season, which is expected to last about six weeks. The Shelby county dairy and other retailers have agreed to raise the price to 40 cents.

A meeting of the producers will be called at an early date to consider the question of purchasing the Clover Farm dairy. There are 268 men of Shelby county, classified as producers, and it is thought that the business could be purchased at less than \$100,000, which would mean a pool of \$200 each, or slightly less, by the farmers.

Unveil Memorial To Rabbi Samfield

The unveiling and dedication of a memorial to the memory of Rabbi Max Samfield will take place Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Poplar avenue temple, corner of Poplar avenue and Montgomery street.

The ceremony will be conducted by Joseph Newburger, president of the Congregation Children of Israel, and addresses will be made by Rabbi William H. Finkelshteyn and Chancellor Israel H. Peres. Members of the congregation and friends of the family are invited to be present.

BRITISH BATTLESHIPS LAND MARINES AT CORK

CORK, Ireland, June 5.—The battleships Warspite and Valiant arrived in Cork harbor yesterday and transhipped a large number of marines into the destroyers which took them into Queenstown, where they landed. The transport L. Cassin embarked 1,200 troops at Queenstown for Queenstown, to be distributed in Wexford, Waterford, Cork and other counties.

GINGHAM AND OVERALLS WORN BY 131 GRADUATES

MOBILE, Ala., June 5.—Barren academy, one of the oldest public schools in the South, yesterday graduated a class of 131 in gingham and overalls. The class was composed of 92 girls and 39 boys, the largest number in the school's history.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the United States Mortgage Company, at the company's office in Chicago, on Wednesday, May 19, a dividend of 3 1/2% or Three Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$3.50) per share was declared payable July 1, 1920, to common stockholders of record June 15, 1920.

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LOOT OF THIEVES MAY BRING DEATHS

The city at large may get rid of two or three perfectly good thieves and the undertakers may find their business suddenly booming in the same connection, police say, following the robbery of the Kilpatrick Drug Co., 1014 Mississippi avenue, Friday night.

For 18 gallons of alcohol—the denatured kind, but purposely labeled otherwise—comprised part of the loot of the thieves. The other part consists of 1 dram of morphine, two boxes of cigars, 12 boxes of cigarettes, \$6 in pennies and 15 boxes of candy.

Drug addicts are believed responsible.

PLANS FOR POLL TAX DRIVE COMPLETED

The plans for the big poll tax offensive, which will be started Monday against poll tax delinquents, practically were completed Saturday by Jerome E. Richards. Every man who has not paid his 1919 poll tax is subject to garnishment, and Mr. Richards plans to garnish all delinquents.

The last chance for those who have not paid up, is to get to the office of the poll tax collector in the courthouse next week before a deputy arrives at their offices with garnishment papers. Any man who pays up before he is garnished saves the costs of garnishment and loss of time resultant. These costs amount to several dollars extra. Cost of a 1919 poll tax is \$2.50. If no garnishment costs are added, the 1920 poll tax does not come due until Sept. 1, 1920, and the 1919 tax is the one necessary if the holder wishes to vote in any of the coming elections, including the presidential.

OPEN TOP CARS BEING MOVED TO COAL MINES

An order to deliver enough open top cars to increase transportation facilities of coal mines on the Illinois Central railroad 50 per cent, has been issued by the railroad with the order already started. The order also states that open top cars shall not be used for loading any class of freight that can be loaded in box cars, and specifically forbids the use of coal cars for shipping automobiles.

The supply of open top cars for hauling other commodities than coal, that can not be loaded in box cars, is also to be increased by 50 per cent. This will greatly facilitate the moving of gravel and road improvement materials, and heavy machinery for industrial plants.

Users of coal cars in this territory have already noted improvement in the supply of cars since the foreign lines are beginning to return cars to the lines owning them.

PRESBYTERIANS TO OPEN DRIVE OFFICE MONDAY

Headquarters will be opened Monday on the first floor of the Chamber of Commerce for the Southwestern Presbyterian university campaign, to be waged in October to raise \$1,000,000 to move the university from Clarksville, Tenn., to Memphis. S. W. McGill, of Nashville, who will be the general director of the drive, has returned from Charlotte, N. C., where he attended the recent meeting of the general conference of the Southern Presbyterian church, and will be in charge of the campaign headquarters. The city of Memphis is to raise \$500,000 of the required amount.

The executive committee met Friday afternoon and decided to open headquarters at once. At a meeting to be held next week, the executive committee will name committees on finance, rating, initial gifts, publicity and organization.

MISSISSIPPI BOY IS AWARDED CROSS

Posthumous award of a Distinguished Service Cross has been made to Mrs. Harry A. Harvey, wife of Capt. Harry A. Harvey, formerly of Battery A, Eighteenth field artillery, for exceptional gallantry displayed on the night of July 14-15, 1918. Capt. Harvey went to West Point from Memphis, Miss. His mother, Mrs. M. G. Harvey, 1841 Waverly, five sisters and three brothers live in Memphis.

During the bombardment near Chaumont Thierry, when communication was cut off and his ammunition dump destroyed, Capt. Harvey kept his battery supplied with ammunition at great risk of life. He was killed in action in October, 1918.

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AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

GREELEY, Col., June 5.—An amendment to the constitution of the United

States, acknowledging God and the authority of the Bible, was proposed in the report of the witness committee of the Reformed Presbyterian church, which was before the national synod here today.

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